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SUBJ: 57TH ECOSOC-REPRESENTATION

1. SUMMARY. IN VIEW OF COMBINATION HEAVY REPRESENTATIONAL REQUIREMENTS AND SIGNIFICANT INCREASE IN PRICES AT ALL GENEVA RESTAURANTS, USDEL REQUESTS INCREASE IN REPRESENTATION ALLOCATION TO \$2000.
END SUMMARY.

2. SINCE LAST YEAR PRICES IN RESTAURANTS OF REPRESENTATIONAL QUALITY HAVE ALMOST DOUBLED. IN PLACES SUCH AS BEAU-RIVAGE, AU FIN BEC, HOTEL DU LAC AT COPPET, ETC, SIMPLE ITEMS HAVE REACHED POINT WHERE IT IS VIRTUALLY IMPOSSIBLE TO DO EVEN NOMINAL REPRESENTATION ON WHICH PRESENT ALLOCATION OF \$500 MADE. FOR EXAMPLE BOTH THE UK AND THE USSR HAVE HOSTED LUNCHEONS FOR SENIOR REPS USDEL ALREADY. IN EACH CASE COST PER CAPITA OF MODEST LUNCHEONS HAS AVERAGED \$25-30. AT A MINIMUM WE MUST RECIPROCATATE IN THESE CASES AND ADDITIONALLY MUST ACCOMMODATE OUR RELATIONSHIPS WITH FRENCH, GERMANS, ASIANS, AFRICANS AND SELECTED LATIN AMERICANS.

3. IN PAST FIVE YEARS USDEL HAS BEEN SUBSIDIZED FROM
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PRIVATE MEANS BY A AVERAGE OF \$2,500-\$5,000 PER

ECOSOC SESSION. FOR VARIETY OF REASONS NO SUCH FUNDS ARE FORTHCOMING THIS SUMMER. THUS THE INCREASE NOW REQUESTED WILL NOT AFFORD A NOMINAL APPROXIMATION OF THE ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES TRADITIONALLY HELD IN GENEVA BY ECOSOC DEL.

4. IT SHOULD BE POINTED OUT THAT FUNDS NOW AVAILABLE ONLY EQUAL THOSE MADE AVAILABLE TO DELEGATIONS SUBORDINATE TO ECOSOC AND ARE NOT ON THE SAME ORDER AS ALLOCATIONS BEING MADE TO COMPARABLE DELEGATIONS ELSEWHERE THIS YEAR. ADDITIONALLY, USUN HAS DONE FAR BETTER THAN AVERAGE JOB OF RAISING ITS OWN FUNDS FOR SUCH PURPOSES AND IN MAINTAINING CONTROL OVER OTHER ITEMS BUDGETED FOR DELEGATION. E.G., ITEMS BUDGETED FOR OFFICE SPACE, TELEPHONE AND REPRESENTATION SUBSTANTIALLY REDUCED AT RECENTLY CONCLUDED UNDP GC IN HOPES THAT OIC COULD BE MORE FORTHCOMING AT PRESENT IMPORTANT ECOSOC SESSION. DALE

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